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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Attention is invited to the attached documents, including English abstracts, cited in the International Search Report. A completed Form PTO-1449 is also attached. U.S. 5,096,442 corresponds to JP 5-500389.

Official citation and consideration of all the attached documents is requested. Please return to the undersigned a copy of the attached PTO-1449 with the examiner's initials in the left column [MPEP §609] with the next communication.

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